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HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER, 2 1919.

Editorial Periscope

Prof. Pinard, a leading French doctor, says the great need in France is an epidemic of large families.

Commissioner Roper has started a national campaign to rope in the in come tax evaders.

Paderewski, the musician, may not stick as President of Poland, but his likeness on a postage stamp will stick to the letters.

Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, is seriously ill and has been taken to his home in Philadelphia for a long rest.

An Ottawa, N. Y. judge is confronted with the same problem that puzzled King Solomon. Two women are claiming to be the mother of the same baby.

The city council of Tacoma has instructed the jailer to put food where the "hunger strike" Reds can get it and if they do not eat it let them starve.

An average of 1400 Jap "picture brides," selected by pictures and married on arrival, enter Honolulu every year. About 200 more married in Japan follow their husbands.

Miss Meldred Elizabeth Eberlin, a popular young musician who had been singing in entertainments at Camp Knox, was killed in an automobile accident Friday.

The white paper upon which the Kentuckian is printed is now worth more than one cent a sheet. We print 166 papers and send them out postage prepaid at \$2.

Cardinal Amette, archbishop of Paris, calls upon French people to abstain from dancing the "indecent American dances, in which immodest toilets are worn." And Paris is supposed to set the pace!

The Immigration Bureau recommends that the case of Emma Goldman, the anarchist, be closed and that she be deported. The bureau has recommended deportation to Russia, which the Labor Department is expected also to approve.

A love-sick boy in Weington shot a grass-widow who excited his jealousy and then volunteered to submit to a transfusion of his blood to save her life, following a hemorrhage that was almost fatal.

Five hundred divorce cases are clogging the courts of Atlanta, Ga., and one hundred of them were tried in one day, Saturday. Georgia law requires two verdicts, with a lapse of time between them before the final decree is granted.

Prediction that there will be an unprecedented demand for this year's crop of tobacco, and that the crop which is to be sold this winter will bring a higher price than ever in the history of the tobacco market, is made by Representative J. Campbell Cantrell, Seventh district.

Dr. Freidmann, the German doctor who claimed to have discovered a cure for tuberculosis in 1912 and visited this country in 1913, seems to have survived the war and is reported to have sold his serum to a syndicate for \$250,000. Few people nowadays would be willing to have anything from Germany injected into them.

Silk stockings are to go still higher. This does not refer to the way they are to be worn but to the price. Benjamin A. Matthews, assistant federal attorney, who has been trying to make life anything but dull for profiteers says he has learned of an agreement reached by manufacturers, wholesalers and jobbers, to boost silk hosiery from \$12 to \$15 a pair. Before the war a pair could be bought for \$1.50.

Washington is seething with sensational rumors concerning the condition of President Wilson, not one of which is confirmed by the white house. These rumors started Saturday when Senator Hitchcock, who is leading the administration forces in the League of Nations fight was refused admission to the sick bed and they gained currency so rapidly that it was thought the white house would issue a statement to allay the feeling of anxiety in the capital, but such a statement was not forthcoming, however, and those who inquired were told that no bulletins would be issued at present.

REPUBLICAN SENATOR IS INDICTED

VICTOR OVER FORD IN MICHIGAN SPENT SLUSH FUND OF \$1,000,000.

GANG OF BOODLERS CAUGHT

Assistant Senate Secretary Charged With Election Corruption and Fraud.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 1.—Truman H. Newberry, United States Senator from Michigan, was indicted by a United States grand jury Saturday for corruption, fraud and conspiracy in connection with the election by which he obtained his seat in the Senate, defeating Henry Ford, his Democratic opponent.

With Newberry, 133 other Republicans were indicted by the Grand Jury on the same charge.

Judge Sessions indicated that the evidence before the grand jury disclosed fraudulent expenditure of a slush fund of between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 in connection with the election.

These thirty-eight alleged overt acts were charged against fourteen men and carried accusation of having given rewards ranging from promises of "a good job" to payments of sums varying from \$5 to \$2,750 as returns for support of activity in the Newberry campaign. One country editor is alleged to have received a ton of print paper.

The extreme penalty which may be imposed under the indictment is a fine of \$10,000 and two years' imprisonment.

STAGE SET FOR INAUGURATION

Frankfort Busily Arranges Details For Notable Event December 9th.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 1.—Frankfort and Franklin county, probably the most stalwart in their Democracy in the State, judging by the last two state elections, as usual have laid aside partisanship in anticipation of the inauguration December 9.

Democrats and Republicans, without distinction, are working on plans to entertain the visitors and arrangements of detail. The crowd from out of town for the most part will be Republicans, but to Frankfort it is a new Governor and a new local committee in charge, and the committee has only one idea and that is to show some former committees that they overlooked several things to make the event notable.

It is evident this early that the inauguration will excel in the one important feature dear to the heart of capital city residents—brass bands. There are going to be more bands than ever before. Frankfort people know from experience that they can't have too many bands in a parade, and numerous marching organizations have reported that they are coming with their own music.

NEARLY FIVE FEET OF RAINFALL THIS YEAR

November was another heavy month for rainfall, the total for the month, up to the record of noon on the 29th, being 9.01 inches. The rain fall for the ten months to Nov. 1st was 48 inches so the total for 1919 has been 57 inches with one more month to be accounted for. The total will run considerably over 6 feet for the year.

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Local Baptist Churches Go Over The Top

NINE IN CITY AND COUNTY WITH QUOTAS OF \$173,000 SUBSCRIBE \$220,000 OR \$47,000 OVER.

Fifteen More Churches In Christian, 12 In Logan and 8 In Todd Are Still at Work To Raise Their Respective Quotas.

CHURCHES REPORTED "OVER THE TOP"

	Quota	Subscribed
Hopkinsville First.....	\$100,000	\$112,500
Hopkinsville Second	10,000	11,288
Pembroke	17,000	38,000
Olivet	17,000	18,000
South Union	12,000	17,550
Locust Grove	10,000	15,000
Casky	2,000	2,100
Sinking Fork	2,000	2,200
LaFayette	8,000	3,200
	\$173,000	\$219,750

West Mt. Zoar, \$1,000 has \$765 on partial canvass, will go over the \$1,000.

Pleasant Hill not reported but assurances are that the \$9,000 quota will be raised.

Concord, \$5,000, Crofton \$8,000, Mt. Zoar, \$2,000 and Salem \$15,000 all promise to finish during Victory Week.

Bethel \$9,000, Macedonia \$9,000, Hight's Grove \$1,000, Mack's Grove \$1,000, New Barren Springs, \$2,000, New Ebenezer \$2,000, Palestine \$5,000, West Union \$1,000 and West Grove \$1,000, other churches in Christian county are completing their canvass this week. They have until next Sunday to raise their respective quotas.

There are twenty more churches in Todd and Logan counties to be heard from.

There are three Christian county churches in Little River Association with quotas as follows:

Gracey (West Union).....	\$7,500
Little River	2,000
Bainbridge	1,000

These churches are working towards their respective goals.

City Churches Did Great Work

The quota of \$100,000 for the First and \$10,000 for the Second Hopkinsville church was practically one-fourth of the quota of \$450,000 for the 44 churches of Bethel Association. These churches with those at Pembroke and Olivet took the lead in organizing the smaller churches of the county, while other central committees worked in Todd and Logan counties, with 20 churches in those counties.

In Hopkinsville the finish of the campaign was characterized by enthusiasm and religious fervor never seen in the two churches before. Sunrise prayer meetings were held at 6:30 a. m. to usher in the day of work.

The Sunday School hour was devoted largely to getting ready for the drive.

At the 11 o'clock services the result of the incomplete canvasses were announced and at the First church the services lasted until nearly one o'clock.

By two o'clock the workers were back for the final canvass and both men and women scoured the city in automobiles signing up the absentees. Two young men with an adding machine were kept busy tabulating the returns as they came in and as totals gradually approached the goal, the enthusiasm rose correspondingly. When the committees adjourned at 6 o'clock the total had reached \$110,000. At the night service \$2500 more pledge cards were handed in and many members have not reported. With the total now at \$112,500, the church is confidently expected to raise \$120,000. This takes no account of \$4,994 already paid in through regular channels, more than half of which is entitled to be counted as received since May 1, 1919. Nor does it include a subscription made recently outside the church membership by the students and faculty of Bethel Woman's College, for \$5,325, the fund thus

raised to be applied on the new dormitory to be built next year.

The Second church with a quota of \$10,000 did a great work in going over \$1200, as the church is a new one and is raising money to complete its house of worship.

The best work done by any church reported was at Pembroke, where with a quota of \$17,000 the subscriptions are already \$38,000 and will go to \$40,000.

South Union also went "over the top" fifty per cent.

Olivet and Sinking Fork were the first churches to go over, completing their work two or three weeks ago, but the absentees are still being LaFayette also did great work for a little church. It is already over the top and still working.

Many of the churches are on telephone lines that are in trouble and brought in.

Some of them are sure to raise more than they are asked for, notably Salem, Pleasant Hill, West Union and Bethel.

Crofton and Mt. Zoar will finish their canvass this week and have meetings next Sunday to receive reports. Four Minute men from the larger churches will go wherever they are wanted to help in the meetings Sunday.

Christian county with a quota of \$255,000 will go over \$300,000 and Bethel Association will raise more than half a million dollars.

Trenton has \$16,508, Russellville \$33,500, Auburn \$15,000, and New Union \$7,000.

ADD TO DRIVE

Elkton raised its quota of \$11,000 and has started in on a building fund.

Trenton raised \$12,000 of its quota of \$15,000 with 80 members present. The canvass this week will easily finish the quota.

The women of the First Hopkinsville church undertook to raise \$20,000 and raised over \$40,000 and are still getting in cards.

SOLD \$4,000 IN 4 HOURS

Last Shipment of War Groceries Went Like Hot Cakes.

The new shipment of war groceries received by Mayor Bassett Saturday went like hot cakes.

In four hours the entire lot of \$4,000 worth had been sold and delivery was in progress all day yesterday.

This makes three lots sold, aggregating \$8,000.

Probably no more can be secured.

COAL GOING SOUTH

Seventy-four cars of coal passed through Hopkinsville Sunday, going South in two immense double-header trains. And yet local dealers are unable to fill orders on their books since last summer.

GETS M'CORMICK
G. O. P. "WHIP"



The recent illness of Mrs. McMill McCormick of Chicago made it necessary for Chairman Will Hays of the Republican National Committee to select a new woman whip in the mid-western district. Mrs. John G. South of Chicago was named for the post to keep the women voters enlightened and in line.

KENTUCKY WILL BE 8 MILLION

Long Run Association Goes Over the Top \$200,000.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 1.—With 14 of the 48 congregations of the Long Run Association to be heard from, Dr. Ben I. Bruner, organizer of the association, last night announced that \$902,000 had been reported subscribed by these churches for the Southern Baptist campaign for \$750,000,000. The quota of the association was only \$800,000.

The faculty and students of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary subscribed \$53,477. Eastern Parkway church subscribed 302 per cent of its quota; Franklin-avenue 295 per cent; Weaver Memorial, 200 per cent; Portland avenue, 195 per cent; Immanuel, 190 per cent, and Calvary, 180 per cent.

"According to the rate set by these churches," said Dr. Bruner, "the forty-eight churches of the association will raise \$1,007,899; Kentucky will raise \$8,000,000 instead of its quota of \$6,500,000 and the entire South will raise \$100,000,000 instead of the \$75,000,000 it set out to raise."

The association is composed of churches in Louisville and Jefferson county, two in Bullitt, three in Spencer and one in Shelby counties.

H.H.S. BOY ON ALL STAR TEAM

The Sunday's Evansville Courier picks a mythical sectional high school football team. It places six Evansville players on the team, and the other men picked are from the different high school teams in Southern Indiana and Western Kentucky. The local high school was represented by one member of the mythical team, this is Capt. Cantrell at right tackle. In regard to his work the Courier says: "Cantrell has played this position for three years and according to his admirers has not met his equal in that time." Croft at halfback and Here at quarter were also given prominent mention.

REV. E. O. COTTRELL IS CALLED TO CONCORD

Concord Baptist church, near the city, on Sunday called Rev. E. O. Cottrell, pastor of the Second Hopkinsville church, to be pastor of the church. Mr. Cottrell will accept the call and preach Sunday afternoon in each month, which will not interfere with his morning services at his church in the city. He will also hold one Saturday service each month. The first sermon will be preached next Sunday afternoon, when the church will undertake to complete its quota of \$5,000.

Miss Norma Turner has returned from the South and resumed her old place with Campbell-Coates Drug Co.

DRASTIC COAL RESTRICTIONS

WAR RULES RESTORED IN TIME OF PEACE DUE TO THE STRIKE

INDUSTRY CRIPPLED BY ORDER

Christmas Business Will Be Seriously Interfered With by the Order.

War time coal restrictions and regulations went into effect at noon yesterday, on account of the coal shortage, due to the strike.

The new restrictions will be enforced under the war-time powers of the Fuel Administration. They provide chiefly that stores and office buildings may use heat, light or power only between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., except for bakeries, restaurants, drug stores for sale of drugs only, and barber shops which use light, heat and power, from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Certain other exceptions are made to provide for various industries and businesses.

Theatres, moving picture houses and other places of public amusement may use light, heat or power only between 1 p. m. and 10:30 p. m.

All advertising signs and billboards using electricity must be eliminated, as must white way lights, show windows and other lights not strictly essential.

Industries, except those whose continuous processes cannot be interfered with, may be operated only forty-eight hours a week. Exceptions are made to meet the special conditions of railroad stations, hospitals, telephone and telegraph and newspaper offices.

The former local fuel administrator was John J. Metcalfe. He will be assisted by G. E. Dalton.

MINERS EARNING \$118.26 MONTH

Kentucky Fields Wage Table Is Made Public By U. S. Statistics Bureau.

Washington, D. C. 1.—Earnings and working hours of bituminous coal miners in Kentucky, as indicated by a recent survey which included 19 Kentucky coal mines, representing 2,867 employees, are given in statistical form in a bulletin just compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The total number of employees in Kentucky coal mines, according to the most recent official government figures—those of 1917—is 34,926.

These figures of the Bureau of Labor Statistics show that for hand miners in Kentucky, the average number of full-time hours in a half month period was 93.5 and the average amount of full-time earnings in the same period was \$59.13 or \$118.26 a month.

DIXIE CAFE CHANGES HANDS

Nick Doumas, proprietor of the Dixie Cafe, a very successful restaurant business on Ninth street, has sold out to George Pappas, who will continue the business as heretofore. Mr. Pappas has been with the restaurant as assistant and is thoroughly familiar with the business.

Better watch your \$20 bills closely. A dangerous counterfeit of a \$20 Federal Reserve note is worrying Louisville. It has Lincoln's picture instead of Cleveland's on it. They are made by raising the \$5 bills.